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MASS MEDIA BUREAU MULTIPOINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE APPLICATIONS

Report No. D-971

February 11, 1998

By the Chief, Mass Media Bureau:

IN RE: APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED FOR FILING

The applications listed herein, upon initial review, appear to be complete and have been accepted for filing. The Commission reserves the right to return or dismiss any of these applications, if upon further examination, it is determined they are defective or not in substantial compliance with Commission Rules. See 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.20 and 21.26.

Final action will not be taken on any of these applications until the expiration of a period of 30 days following the date of this notice, except for microwave radio applications not requiring a 30-day notice period (see Section 309(c) of the Communications Act), or as otherwise noted. See 47 C.F.R. Sections 1.4 and 21.27. Unless specified to the contrary, comments or petitions may be filed concerning these applications within 30 days of the date of this notice, with the limited exception under 47 C.F.R. Section 21.902(i). See 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.30 and 21.902(i).

With regard to mutual exclusivity of these Multipoint Distribution Service applications, see 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.31. and 21.914. With limited exceptions, an application which is subsequently amended by a major change will be considered as a newly filed application for purposes of the "cut-off" rule. See 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.23 and 21.31.

For information on other microwave facilities, refer to Public Notices released by the Wireless Bureau.

AIR HAZARDS CAUSED BY IMPROPERLY MARKED & LIGHTED COMMUNICATIONS TOWERS

The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) has received reports of aircraft collisions with unlighted or improperly lighted communications towers. Accident reports and studies reveal that radio tower owners and FCC licensees need to be more aware of the need for conformance to FCC issued obstruction marking and lighting specifications.

When radio towers are greater than 200 feet in height and/or near an airport, the owner or licensee must apply for FCC issued obstruction marking and lighting specifications. During construction, temporary warning lights must be installed at the top of the structure, and at each level where permanent lights will be installed.

Licensees should insure that their towers are marked and lighted in accordance with the specifications on their permits. Daily inspections must be made to ensure that the lights are on and operating properly. Any variances must be approved by the FCC's Antenna Survey Branch (ASB).

If a light outage occurs which cannot be corrected within thirty minutes, the local FAA Flight Service Station (FSS) must be contacted immediately. The FSS will issue a warning to pilots. The FSS must also be notified when the lights are again operational so the warning may be rescinded.

The FCC intends to continue its close scrutiny of radio towers. Appropriate action, including issuance of fines and/or revocation of the station license, will be taken against the user or owner of any unauthorized or improperly marked radio tower.

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By the Chief, Mass Media Bureau:

In re: Multipoint Distribution Service (MDS)
(Single and Multichannel)

APPLICATION FOR ASSIGNMENT OF AUTHORIZATION ACCEPTED FOR FILING:

Upon initial review, the following assignment application has been accepted for filing. The Commission, however, reserves the right to return this application if, upon further examination, it is determined that the application is defective or not in conformance with the Commission's Rules and requirements. Final action will not be taken on this application earlier than 31 days following the date of this notice.

Copies of the application are available for inspection in Room 600 at 2033 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20554. For further information, contact Kim Varner at (202)418-7070.

BMDAL971203BQ. Application for authority to assign the authorization for the Jacksonville, North Carolina Basic Trading Area ("BTA") (B214) and station KNSC436 at Jacksonville, North Carolina, the New Bern, North Carolina BTA (B316) and station KNSC434, the Wilmington, North Carolina BTA (B478) and station KNSC435 at Wilmington, North Carolina, the Goldsboro-Kinston, North Carolina BTA (B165) and station KNSC625 at Goldsboro-Kinston, North Carolina from TRU VISION WIRELESS, INC. to WIRELESS ONE OF NORTH CAROLINA, L.L.C.

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MULTIPOINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE RENEWAL APPLICATIONS

50081-CM-R-98 MULTI-MICRO, INC.
Application to renew station WNTJ460 serving KENNEWICK, WA Channel Group H



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The COMMISSION took the following actions on Mass Media Bureau Multipoint Distribution Service applications:

ARN	Non-Common Carrier	Latitude	Longitude	Ground Elev	BTA	Channel	Center of Rad.	Market Name	Winning Bidder	New Name (If Applicable)
BMDP970303MD	X	312721	983319	524.26M	B057	2A	124.05M	Brownwood, TX	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commerical Channels
BMDP97119AV	X	334633	953722	173.70M	B341	2A	184.40M	Paris, TX	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commerical Channels
BMDP970303MC	X	311528	992335	580.04M	B400	2A	147.50M	San Aangelo, TX	Heartland Wireless Communications, Inc.	Heartland Wireless Commerical Channels
BMDP970221LU	X	425157	1123046	1775.00M	B353	2A	61.00M	Pocatello, ID	Hubbard Trust	
BMDP970221LW	X	425157	1123046	1775.00M	B353	1	61.00M	Pocatello, ID	Hubbard Trust	
BMDP970911XW	X	305753	920715	18.90M	B009	E	214.90M	Alexandria, LA	Wireless One, linc.	

MULTIPOINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE
(SINGLE & MULTICHANNEL)

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ACTIONS TAKEN:

File Number	Applicant	Channel	Primary Service Area
50365-CM-P-97	(WNTH893) BLAKE TWEDT	(H group)	MONROE, LA
Application for CONDITIONAL LICENSE GRANTED: 02/11/1998.		Channel(s) H1	
Application appeared on public notice dated 01/29/1997.			